

Farmers Donating Wheat

A number of farmers have already handed in wheat tickets to the Red Cross as their subscription to the campaign fund, the drive for which started last Monday.

This method is not only a convenient way for farmers to make their contribution but it will also save the time of canvassers, as they will not be required to call upon the persons who have already handed in their grain tickets to the secretary or members of the committee.

Special Young People's Service

There will be a special Young People's Service at Knox United on Sunday evening, at which the Young People's Society will attend in a group.

The Young People's Quartette will sing; the Girls Choir will lead the singing, and the Message will be brought by Miss Mabel Carroll, of Toronto, national secretary of the United Church Women's Missionary Society.

Miss Carroll is an outstanding leader among the young people of the United Church and her messages are highly commended by all who have heard her. Better come along.

Mr. Fawcett will speak at Westcott and Westdale at the usual hours, on the theme "Conditional Acceptance Not Enough."

Members and friends of Knox United are asked to keep Tuesday evening, October 29th open to attend a meeting in the church to hear Rev. W. A. Roulston, M.A., who has spent many years as missionary in Honan, China. He will bring up-to-date information about China and inspiration towards the great work of Christian Missions.

Crosby, Hope and Lamour Excellent Entertainment in "The Road to Singapore"

In an excellent production, "The Road to Singapore" ever-popular Bing Crosby, along with Bob Hope and Dorothy Lamour, offers movie fans a musical treat this week of songs, sarongs, romance, riot and rhythm, Lamour, languor and lilting lyrics.

The midnight preview Sunday was a success and plans are for screening more of these from time to time.

STOP PRESS NOTICE!

National Guide Day Broadcast Hour—Saturday, October 26th, 7 to 7:30 M.S.T. Speaker: H.R.H. Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone.

Men's Leather Gloves 40 cents per pair and up. Get them at Scott's.

Didsbury Miss Retaining Cup By 1 Point

Didsbury Schools failed to retain the Rosebud Cup, which they won last year, by a margin of one point, at the Inter-School Track Meet, which was held at Olds on Friday last.

Carstairs were the cup winners with 219 points, Didsbury taking second place with 218 points. Innisfail with 184 points; Olds, 156 points; and Bowden, 107 points; were the other schools who competed in the track meet.

Bonuses of 75 points were allowed to Carstairs and Bowden; 50 points to Didsbury; while Innisfail and Olds received no bonus.

Competition was unusually keen and excellent sportmanship was shown by all the competitors.

Point winners for Didsbury were as follows:

Glen Hallman	18
Harold Burns	16
Eldon Foote	16
Shirley Liesemer	15
Margaret Fisher	12
Alice Olson	11
Betty Wallace	8
Harold Feeg	6
Doreen Gillie	6
Kenneth Noble	6
M. J. McFarquhar	6
Joyce Topley	6
Betty Mortimer	5
Don Mortimer	4
Peggy McFarquhar	4
Roy Reiffenstein	3
Eleanor Klein	3
Clayton Johnson	3

10 others each won one point.

Didsbury had a strong following of supporters at the meet and led by the cheer leaders, Ralph Edwards, Elizabeth Austin, Dora Fawcett, and Irene Durant, they kept the crowd enlivened up all day with school yells.

Bible School Opens for 15th Term October 22

Mountain View Bible School will open its 15th school term on Tuesday next, October 22nd, 1940, with an all-day young people's convention rally at the M.B.C. Church.

The convention commences at 10 a.m. and will continue throughout the day, closing with a special service in the evening, at which Rev. J. Jeffries, of Edmonton, will be the speaker.

All are cordially invited to attend this convention.

Hosiery by Kayser and Corticelli now on sale at Berscht's. Crepe and chiffon 89c pair; semi-service 69c; factory specials 2 pairs for \$1.00.

JOIN BRITISH.



POLES CROSS TO PALESTINE TO JOIN BRITISH.—Seasoned warriors among the Polish Brigade which, when France collapsed, crossed to Palestine to continue to fight with Britain against German aggression.

Legion to Sponsor Amateur Night

The local branch of the Canadian Legion are making arrangements to hold an Amateur Night on Armistice Day, November 11.

The ladies of the Legion will also put on a supper in the evening and a dance will follow the concert.

WEDDINGS

A quiet wedding took place at the United Church in Banff, Alberta, on September 20th at 8 p.m. when Lucille Elizabeth, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Russell of Didsbury, Alberta, became the bride of Mr. Clair Crosbie of Seebe, Alberta.

The bride was attired in a grey costume, while the groom wore a grey suit. Rev. Hartley performed the ceremony.

Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. M. Crosbie and Mr. W. Bagley.

After the ceremony the happy couple motored back to Seebe, where a reception was held for them in the Lodge of the Kananaskis Dude Ranch.

They will reside in Seebe, where the groom is in the employ of Mr. C. Brewster.

GIBB—BIRDSALL

At the Chapel, St. Stephen's College, Edmonton, at one o'clock on Saturday, October 12th, Miss Marjorie Moore Birdsall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Birdsall of Didsbury, Alberta, became the bride of Mr. John William Gibb, son of Mrs. Alexander Gibb of Dunstable, Alberta, and the late Mr. Gibb.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Stella Birdsall of Didsbury, and the groom by Mr. William F. Birdsall of Edmonton.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Elliott H. Birdsall of Fort Saskatchewan, brother of the bride, and the wedding music was provided by Mrs. J. Everett Birdsall. Also present were Mrs. E. H. Birdsall, Miss Julia Birdsall and Mr. J. E. Birdsall.

Following the ceremony a wedding luncheon was served at the Corona Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Gibb will reside in Edmonton. (E.H.B.)

Away with coal-dust and ashes—the "Duo-Therm" oil heater now on display at H. E. Oke's, ask for a demonstration.

DIDSBURY MARKETS

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Grade A Large	29c
Grade A Medium	27c
Pullets	21c
Grade B	15c
Grade C	7c

Demonstration on "Homemaking"

The Home Service Branch of the Calgary Power Co. are announcing they will present "Homemaking" at the Didsbury Opera House on Tuesday, October 22, at 8:15.

There will be a demonstration in the newest trends in interior decorating and lighting by young ladies of the Home Service branch of the company.

The demonstration is under the sponsorship of the local Red Cross entertainment committee and tickets may be obtained from any member of the committee and from the stores, etc.

NOTICE

To Relatives of Persons on the Assessment Roll and to Tenants

Notice is hereby given that, during the months of September and October, application may be made under the provisions of Section 188 of the Town and Village Act and amendments for inclusion in the Voters' List of the Town of Didsbury by the following persons, namely:

Tenants who have rented an assessed parcel for a period of twelve months immediately preceding the last day of August of this year, and tenants who have for said period rented a self contained apartment or residence on an assessed parcel upon which there are two or more self contained apartments or residences.

The wife, husband, father and mother, and every son and daughter of any person whose name appears upon the Assessment Roll who are entitled to be placed upon the said list, and the wife, husband, father and mother, and every son and daughter of tenants as aforesaid who have applied to be included in the said list:

(a) If such wife, husband, father, mother, son or daughter is either resident within the Town or assists such person in the business in respect of which he or she is taxable.

(b) If he or she is of the full age of twenty-one years.

(c) If his or her name does not already appear on the Assessment Roll.

31st August, 1940

W. A. AUSTIN,
Secretary-Treasurer.

At the age of 60, Tom Mix, cowboy actor and hero of scores of western thrillers of the silent film era, was killed Saturday when he was pinned underneath his overturned automobile on a highway detour on the road from Tucson, Ariz.

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Notice to Farmers

The Elevator Agents of Didsbury and District wish to announce that, as previously stated over the Radio and in the Daily Press, it is forbidden to accept tough grain for Elevator Storage.

Farmers are advised not to send in tough grain which will of necessity have to be sent back to the farmer.

NOTE:—Dry wheat must have a moisture content of not more than 14.4 per cent.

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A Healthful Sign

One of the most heartening and inspirational stories appearing recently in the daily press is that of the organization and operation of the Pierceland Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Co-operative Association, the first of its kind in Saskatchewan, perhaps the first on the prairies.

The story is heartening because it demonstrates that it is possible for whole communities to organize a practical effort to place themselves on a self-sustaining, or more nearly self-sustaining basis, and is inspirational because it may pave the way for other communities to improve their lot, either in the same manner as the people of the Pierceland district, or in some other direction.

While the scene of this experiment, for it is yet hardly beyond the experimental stage being in its first year, is laid in northwestern Saskatchewan near the Alberta boundary, it could have been staged in many parts of Alberta or Manitoba, indeed, anywhere that vegetables and fruit will grow.

Finding the raising of wheat a somewhat uncertain form of production, the people of the Pierceland district organized to set up a co-operative canning plant in May of this year. Capitalizing on the fact that the district could grow vegetables and small fruits to perfection and that wild fruits also grew in profusion, a canning factory was set up to can the produce of the gardens and the bush.

Wise in their generation, the people of the Pierceland district sought all the information they could before launching their experiment. They secured the assistance of the provincial department of agriculture as to the best methods of organizing, and called on their nearest Dominion experimental farm staff for demonstrations of the canning process. The necessary equipment was purchased and in the fall quantities of produce were processed, canned and marketed.

Helping Themselves

Of particular interest is the modus operandi, as outlined by B. N. Arnason, of the Co-operation and Markets Branch of the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture: "The association furnishes the cans, the salt, sugar, syrup and other supplies. The growers take their fruit and vegetables to the canning plant, can their produce under supervision and take one half of the canned produce home with them. The association retains the other half for resale to meet operating expenses and to pay for the equipment. Any surplus will be distributed on a patronage basis. There will be some variation from the above procedure depending on the quantity which the grower takes to the plant, but in general the 50-50 basis is used.

"The object is to observe all standard requirements as to quality canning methods so that no difficulty will be experienced with regard to sale. To date most of the products have been disposed of in nearby towns. The products canned have been chiefly corn, peas, beans, cauliflower, carrots and several varieties of wild fruits."

A Beneficial Project

A self-help project of this nature will serve to confer many benefits upon those who participate in it, perhaps to an even greater extent than those who sponsored it may be aware at the present time. These advantages are both material and moral.

One of the material benefits of such an undertaking, and the one immediately obvious, of course, is the financial return which the sale of the processed product brings to the co-operators. Not only do they reap a direct cash return, but there is also an indirect cash benefit, inasmuch as the canned commodities retained by the participants save a cash outlay for vegetables and fruits during the late winter and spring months, by which time unprocessed home-stored produce would have perished.

Another material advantage is the fact that factory canning with proper equipment enables larger quantities of produce to be preserved under ideal conditions, resulting in less loss than if it were done at home with more or less primitive equipment. Moreover, it can be taken for granted that more produce will be conserved in this manner than would be the case if each individual were to undertake the processing at home. Thus, with the abundance of fruit and vegetables usually to be found in most farm gardens, under this method, there should be an ample supply for every participant's household until next year's crops are available, and a substantial surplus for sale.

Then, too, the health value of a project of this kind, should not be overlooked. Canned vitamins in ample quantity for the household during those seasons of the year when they are not available, except at prohibitive cost, should yield dividends in better health.

Not by any means the least important is the moral value of a self-help undertaking of this or any other kind. After a decade of the pernicious effect of the direct relief system with its tendency to sap the moral fibre, it is refreshing to find that whole communities are still imbued with that spirit of self-reliance which urges them to fend for themselves and to knock the government props from under their feet at the earliest possible opportunity.

It was this spirit which enabled the pioneers of this country to play their part in building a great nation and it is this spirit which will enable us to win the war. And after the war is over, it is this spirit which will enable the people of the prairies to adjust themselves to the great changes which must inevitably come.

One of the English radio jests is that if you see an airplane flying backwards it's an Italian pursuit plane. More truth than jest; Ben's air force, like his fleet, has been backward in coming forward.

In the parlance of the Old West, the Italian navy is quick on the with-draw.

The dollar mark originally was a religious symbol.

Style In Names

Comparison Over Last Six Years Shows A Decided Change

According to the Stratford Beacon-Herald modern parents are turning away from Biblical names for their children. In Brooklyn, anyway. Such is the discovery of the chief librarian of the Brooklyn Public Library, following a survey of the juvenile registration files and a comparison of the names recently put down with those registered in the Brooklyn Directory six years ago.

According to Librarian Ferguson, former favorite names such as Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Samuel, Nathan, Benjamin, Solomon and David have lost out to Bernard, Herbert, Howard, Leonard, Harold, Martin and Stanley. For girls, Sarah, Ida, Martha, Rebecca, Esther, Gertrude, Bertha and Judith, once popular, have been replaced by Shirley, Marie, Gloria, Joan, Grace, Sylvia, Doris and Evelyn. The rise of the name Shirley from comparative obscurity to sixth place this year was accounted for by the popularity of Shirley Temple in the movie world.

Six years ago John was No. 1 name for boys, but now it is in second place, with Joseph as "tops." William, the good old standby, has dropped from third to seventh slot among the first ten favorites. On the other hand, Charles has climbed from six to fourth notch, and George from tenth to fifth. James alone has proved static, being still in eighth place.

The survey showed that some names appeal to certain religious groups, while others appear to be equally popular with all denominations. Among the latter names are: Alice, Anna, Arthur, Charles, Daniel, Dorothy, Florence, Harold, Mary, Robert and William.

Beaver Preserve

Tract Set Aside At The Mouth Of The Mackenzie River

Scarcity of beaver in the Mackenzie River Delta area has prompted the Federal Department of Mines and Resources to establish a huge beaver reserve at the mouth of the Mackenzie River. This restoration project is being undertaken for the benefit of the native population of the Arctic coast region who depend largely upon the fur resources for a livelihood.

The new sanctuary embraces approximately 14,000 square miles, and the regulations governing it provide that the hunting, trapping, taking, killing, shooting at, wounding, injuring or molesting of beaver is prohibited at all times.

When the beaver population of the area has increased sufficiently to warrant trapping, authority may be granted to issue special permits to trap beaver within the preserve.

Usually Miss Their Target

Canadian Sailors Say Nazi Bombers Have Very Poor Aim

Nazi bombers have poor aim in the opinion of the Canadians serving on H.M.C.S. Skeena, one of the destroyers, naval service headquarters disclosed.

Recently the Skeena was escorting a convoy of merchant ships which was attacked by German bombers about midnight. Although it was estimated more than 100 bombs were dropped not one hit was scored on the ships in the convoy.

One sailor on the deck of the Skeena had a box of matches and set a match aside every time a bomb exploded. When the action was over he had a pile of 76 matches and officers estimated at least 20 to 25 per cent. of the bombs dropped did not explode.

SELECTED RECIPES

HONEY DATE BARS

- 2 eggs
- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup honey
- $\frac{1}{2}$ Kellogg's All-Bran
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon salt
- 2 cups chopped dates
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup chopped nuts

Beat eggs well; add honey and All-Bran. Sift flour with baking powder and salt; add dates and nut meats. Add to first mixture, beating well. Spread batter $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch thick in greased shallow pan, and bake in moderate oven (375 degrees F.) about 30 minutes. Cut into bars while warm and dust with powdered sugar if desired, or serve as a pudding with whipped cream.

CHOCOLATE ICE BOX CAKE

- 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ cups whipping cream
- 2 teaspoons powdered sugar
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon vanilla
- $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon almond extract
- 24 Christie's Chocolate Wafers

Whip cream and add sugar and flavouring. Arrange wafers one on top of another with a spread of whipped cream between. Press gently together and lay roll on its side on a platter. Coat with whipped cream. Chill two or three hours. Slice diagonally when serving. Six to eight portions.

Worthy Of Honor

Only Missionary Buried In Westminster Abbey Is David Livingstone

That David Livingstone is the only missionary buried in Westminster Abbey is an interesting fact, states the Canadian Churchman, Scotsman and Englishmen felt the only place for so great a Christian hero was the Abbey.

March 18, 1938, was the 125th anniversary of Livingstone's birthday. A large number of people came to pay tribute by putting on his grave, on behalf of the London Missionary Society, a chaplet of laurels. A letter was read from Livingstone's daughter, Mrs. Livingstone Wilson.



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The Royal Gazette, Hamilton, Bermuda, says:

This is one mistake we must positively not make that is, of over-estimating Herr Hitler's dependency upon stars and underestimating his preparations to co-operate with them. The superstition-ridden little beast firmly believes that the stars, his stars, are going to help him, but he is not going to let that stand in the way of his helping himself, and he has proved himself to be an indefatigable self-helper. Laugh as much as you like; it will do you good; but do not be convulsed to the point of dropping your guard. That would be to help Hitler and his stars, and you may be sure that he and his fellow star addicts are quite aware of it. A fanatic is always a despot, and the combination is no laughing matter.

Wheat Exports Increase

In spite of the loss of markets in Scandinavia and the Low Countries, Canada's exports of wheat and wheat flour during the past crop year totalled 207.9 million bushels, which was the best volume exported since the 1935-36 crop year when 254 million bushels were exported. The Dominion entered the 1940-41 crop year with a carry-over of almost 301 million bushels.

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Canada's Forces Keep Vigil At Strategic Points On Dominion's Coast Line

Night and day, in fair weather and foul, without even the break in monotony that attack would bring, fighting men of Canada's forces keep vigil at strategic points along the Dominion's Eastern coast line. Threatening muzzles of coastal battery guns sweep the seas approaches; flying boats of the R.C.A.F. patrol the skies; launches of the Canadian Navy, small and large, dart back and forth, in and out of inlets and ports, constantly on the look-out for enemy marauders.

Important among Canada's coastal defences in this war of aerial combat are the modern anti-aircraft batteries which dot the hills and cliffs of the Atlantic seaboard.

Skillfully camouflaged and remote from well-trodden highways, the location of Canada's A-A guns and batteries are virtually unknown to all but those who man them. Modern in every respect, these sand-bagged nests of anti-aircraft guns are the country's bulwark against invasion by air.

To-day's A-A batteries, such as protect the Dominion's coast, are the mathematician's dream come true. To the layman they are as mystifying as "Superman."

A typical battery has five important components, closely co-ordinated into a unit that hears airplanes before they can be seen, sees them before they are within striking distance, gauges their height, the range of fire, and pelts lead and steel at them, firing the shells so that they will burst at the spot where the plane is going to be when the shells arrive. Of course it's not all as easy as that, but theoretically that's how it works.

Suppose an enemy plane is winging its way toward Canada's coast. While it is still well out to sea the sound locators of the battery pick up the throbbing of its motors. Like giant's ears, the locators are trained towards the sound. If it is night the locators transmit their findings to powerful searchlights, with which they are closely synchronized. Immediately a blinding, bluish ray of light, 800,000,000 candlepower of it, knives through the darkness to pick up the marauder in the sky and divulge its location to the height and range finders on the ground.

A crew of four men mans the range finder. Training its powerful lenses on the airplane, it quickly registers the height of the plane on gauges. This knowledge is electrically transmitted to a "predictor," the nerve centre of the battery. This instrument, an innocent looking box, ornate with dials and gauges, takes the height of the plane and quickly transforms it, with help of such denominators as speed, angle of travel and angle of elevation, into an equation that will determine the range and angle of fire. Thick cables carry this information to the A-A gun proper. These fire away at the intruder. When the shell leaves the gun the predictor has determined its angle and trajectory so that it will explode at the precise spot where shell and plane cross each other's paths in the sky.

Taking, for instance, 3.7 guns such as are used in this battery and extensively at other spots along the coast, each gun, with its crew of seven or eight men, will send twelve death-dealing shells into the sky every minute. This allows only five seconds in which to pass the heavy shell along from the ammunition cupboard to the gun, to open the breach, insert the shell, close the breach and fire. To do it means practice and speed, two vital requirements in this war. The boys of the coastal anti-aircraft batteries have plenty of both. They are ready.

High Finance

There are few who can get along without incurring pecuniary obligations, says the Montreal Star, but an unusual case is that of a motorist friend who is still paying instalments on the car exchanged for the car he sold in part payment for the car he now has.

Artichokes have the reputation of being one of the aristocrats of the vegetable kingdom.

Wireless Operators

Group From Schools In Canada Have Arrived In Britain

A considerable group of ground wireless operators from schools in Canada have arrived in the United Kingdom in response to a request from the Royal Air Force. Hon. C. G. Power, air minister, announced.

These operators, he said, were trained in the Montreal wireless school under the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, and more will go overseas from time to time.

The minister estimated the present strength of the Royal Canadian Air Force at 26,500 officers and men. Of these 1,600 officers and 15,000 men are embraced in the air training plan, he said. About 9,000 are in the home war establishment or in overseas service.

A staff of 3,500 civilians is also involved in the training plan.

The minister said also that the Royal Canadian Air Force will set up its own medical corps, which probably will be largely composed of Army Medical men already working for the Air Force.

The new medical corps will be known as the Royal Canadian Air Force Medical Corps, and will have its own nursing and orderly service.

Vitamin Deficiency

Bread Diet Should Include Wheat Germ, Rich In Vitamin B

The Dominion government was urged by the Canadian Public Health Association to take steps to assure that the bread diet of Canadians include wheat germ, rich in vitamin B.

A resolution approved at the association's 29th annual meeting stated white bread provides about one-third of the nutritive requirements of the average Canadian diet but that practically all wheat germ is removed in milling of white flour.

Considerable sections of Canada's population suffer from a deficiency of the essential vitamin B, the resolution says, in urging that the deficiency be remedied by addition of wheat germ to the flour.

Delegates approved a resolution urging that employees in war industry be given regular health supervision analogous in principle to that provided for the armed forces to assist in maintaining maximum industrial output.

In another resolution the organization urged provincial governments to enact legislation making pasteurization of all milk and milk products compulsory.

Replaced St. James's Palace

Buckingham Became Royal Residence On Accession Of Queen Victoria

A whole cluster of royal buildings, including St. James's Palace and Marlborough House, London residence of Queen Mary, lie within a few minutes walk of Buckingham Palace.

Buckingham Palace occupies the site of the old mulberry gardens, planted by James I. in 1609 to encourage the native silk industry.

In those years there was but a house for the keeper of the gardens, known successively as Goring House and Arlington House, and finally, after it had been rebuilt in 1703, Buckingham House. George III, purchased the house in 1762 and the building was remodelled for George IV, about 1825 from which time it has been known as Buckingham Palace.

It did not become a royal residence until the accession of Queen Victoria in 1837, replacing St. James's Palace.

New Water-Bus Service

Despite air-raid alarms Londoners took with enthusiasm to the new Thames "water-bus" service. Hundreds turned up when the first boats and Woolwich. One Cockney passenger was heard to remark jokingly to a ferryman: "Hi, mate, ain't we got a convoy?"

At least 90 per cent. of most meteorites is composed of iron.

Things Are Changing

Scotch Boy Dislikes Porridge And Chinese Wins Sword Dance Contest

A lot of people must be wondering and perhaps worrying about those rugged Scots who were brought up on porridge and whisky to go out and conquer the earth and the fatness thereof. Are they going soft? Has good living and regular meals reduced them to the common level? Is it possible the Scot isn't what he used to be?

We don't know, but what is one to make of this? The other day a competition for sword dancers was held at Toronto fair. The entry list was full of McTavishes and McIntoshes, of McLeods and McNeills and McPhersons, and the accent around the platform was thicker than the lake mist. But, in a field where the Scots have specialized for years, it's as much an institution as the haggis and the bagpipes—the silver cup was taken home by a Chinese girl of nine years, little Joyce Chang.

The same day there was an item in the papers about Donald Bain, aged eight, a lad from Aberdeen or thereabouts, who arrived in Toronto as a child guest from the war zone. And what said Donald when they gave him porridge for breakfast? Did he say, "This is just grand"? He did not. Donald complained bitterly. He dinna like the porridge, he said, and he'd been fooled because they dinna tell him he'd have to eat porridge in Canada.

Frankly, we fear the situation is pretty grim, with a lad from Aberdeen declining his porridge and a Chinese girl beating a collection of Maes in a sword dance. It's so serious, in fact, that we shall not be surprised if our Scottish colleague tells us the haggis is an over-rated abomination fit only for Englishmen and the bagpipes are good only for scaring sheep.—Ottawa Journal.

Navy Rewards

Canada Is Contributing Inventive Genius In War Effort

Canada is contributing inventive brains as well as men and arms to the British cause an announcement by Navy Minister Macdonald indicated.

The minister in a statement said two members of the Royal Canadian Navy, Lieut. M. A. Medland of Toronto, and Electrical Artificer Stanley C. Goodyer of Halifax had been awarded £25 and £5 respectively for inventive work.

Lieut. Medland's contribution was an improvement in gun mountings which helped to prevent icing in winter.

Lieut. Medland joined the R.C.N. as a cadet in September, 1930.

How The Maoris Feel

The London Times says up to July 22, when voluntary recruiting ceased, 4,103 men had been enlisted for the Maori battalion. The New Zealand Minister for Defence, Mr. Jones, said that the response was particularly gratifying, as the number was over 40 per cent. of the Maoris of eligible ages and assured reinforcements for some time ahead.

British Commonwealth Is A Huge Experiment In A League Of Nations

Winter Eggs

Increase Winter Egg Production By Using Artificial Light

Using artificial light to increase egg production during the short winter months has been the practice of progressive poultry farmers for many years, states W. T. Scott, Head Poultryman, Dominion Experimental Station, Harrow, Ont. It was generally believed that by lengthening the day by several hours a longer feeding period would be provided and a greater yield of eggs would be the result. However, recent research has demonstrated that the use of artificial light provides a stimulation to the process of ovulation and, though contributing to the increase in egg yield, the greater amount of feed consumed is a secondary factor.

Under normal conditions the greatest egg yield is during the long daylight of midsummer, when the birds have the advantage of fourteen to fifteen hours of light. Yields of an egg a day are not uncommon at this season, so we may take this to be the length of day necessary for optimum results.

In a recent experiment at the Harrow Experimental Station the limit of light was tested when the birds were subjected to all-night lights all the year round. Two hundred and fifty Barred Plymouth Rock pullets that were given fourteen hours light laid an average of 249.7 eggs in 365 days, while a flock of two hundred pullets of equal breeding subjected to 24 hours of light averaged only 214 eggs per bird. The loss in yield was due primarily to a great increase in broodiness with the birds that had the light all night.

For the best results the fall, winter, and early spring days may be lengthened to about twelve or fourteen hours by the use of artificial light morning and night.—Experimental Farms Note.

Requires Lots Of Work

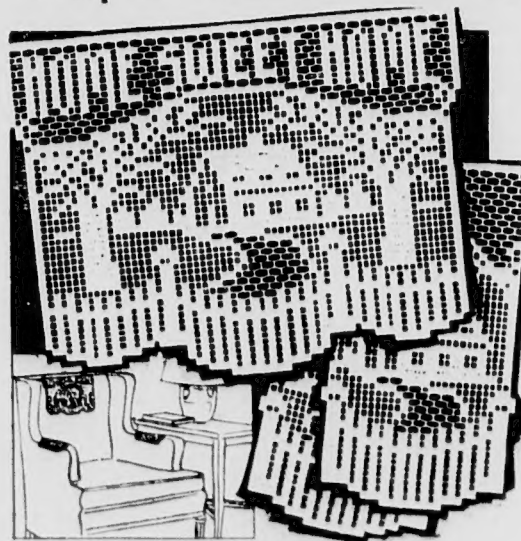
Nectar From 62,000 Blossoms Makes Only Pound Of Honey

To turn out one pound of honey, it is estimated that honey bees must have taken in the nectar from more than 62,000 clover blossoms, and to accomplish this there would be required some 2,750,000 visits to the blossoms by the bees.

In other words, to collect sufficient nectar to make up one pound of honey, a bee must proceed from hive to flower and back again 2,750,000 times.

When one considers the distances honey bees sometimes traverse in search of clover fields, in some cases a mile or two from the hive, one begins to obtain an idea, in a slight degree of the number of miles the industrious little creatures must travel in order that man may possess a pound of honey.

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Hitler and Mussolini are trying to persuade the world that the people of Great Britain "own" a quarter of the earth and sit at ease while the "enslaved" races of the empire sweat and work for the sole profit of the British people. They know that this is false. Do you? Do you know the following facts?

No part of the British Empire pays taxes or tribute in any form to Britain. Every penny of the money raised by their taxes is spent upon the inhabitants themselves.

Instead of drawing taxes from the colonies, the taxpayers of Britain help to keep them going. This year in the middle of the greatest war in history—an act of parliament was passed providing that over 11 million pounds which has been lent to colonies in past years should be converted into free gifts.

The same act enables another 50 million pounds, spread over 10 years, to be given to the colonies to help them to develop their own resources and improve their standards of living.

No part of the British Empire is obliged to buy what it needs from Britain or to sell its own products to Britain.

Full advantage is taken of this freedom. For example, the British colonies buy only 25 per cent. of their imports from Britain. More than half of their trade is with foreign countries.

There is almost twice as much British capital invested in the Argentine, a single foreign country, as in all the British colonies put together.

British India, which Hitler and Mussolini say is "owned" by Britain, buys less than one-third of her total imports from Britain.

In the whole of British India, which has a population of about 275 millions, there are only 745 European civil servants and 450 officers of the police service. All the rest, numbering many thousands, are Indians. Even in the highest ranks, Indians serve on terms of complete equality with their British colleagues.

Internal order and the defence of the northwest frontier against raiding tribes are maintained (in peace time) by a voluntary army of 210,000 officers and men, with 34,000 reservists. Of these only 60,000 are British troops.

Under the constitution, all the provinces of British India manage their own affairs, with elected parliaments and cabinets of Indian ministers who are responsible to those parliaments.

The whole British Empire employs fewer British officials than the total number of persons employed in Cadbury's, Rowntree's and Will's factories.

The self-governing Dominions (Canada, Australia, South Africa, New Zealand and Eire) are free and equal partners with Great Britain. She has no control over their actions and policy at home or abroad. They maintain, wherever they wish, diplomatic representatives of their own at foreign courts and make treaties with foreign powers.

When the Dominions (except Eire, who remained neutral, declared war on Germany in September, 1939, they did so entirely of their own free will.

The British Commonwealth of Nations is a gigantic experiment in internationalism. It consists of (a) a group of independent nations working together in free association, (b) others, such as India and Burma, which are rapidly approaching the same status, and (c) a collection of colonies and protectorates, which are being guided and assisted along the same road towards the same goal.

It is a world-wide association, including white, brown, yellow, and black member-states. Its basis is not, as Hitler and Mussolini would have the world believe, tyranny and exploitation, but liberty and progress.

A Queer Custom

It's a quaint custom among some African tribes for men to commit suicide for revenge or to shame their enemies. In one tribe it was even a custom for a man to hang himself in order to "punish" a slow-paying debtor.

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By H. G. L. STRANGE

Director, "The Crop Testing Plan."

"I am hurt, says Sir Andrew Barton.
I am hurt, but I am not slain.
I lay me down and bleed awhile
And then I rise and fight again."

This was the spirit that possessed
the men of England in Elizabethan
days as they fought against the Span-
ish invaders. It is the spirit
which many thought had gone out
of the English race; but now sudden-
ly it has reappeared in all its ancient
strength and glory, and we see the
people of Britain in every walk of
life, bombed and wounded by day
and by night, rise anew each morn-
ing to work and to fight against the
merciless and ruthless Nazis.

The courageous and determined
people of Britain will, however, be
heartened in their desperate struggle
if they are assured and reassured
that they have the enthusiastic en-
couragement and support of their
friends overseas. Canadians, there-
fore who have relatives, friends and
even acquaintances in Great Britain,
can actually help in the great battle
if they will write an occasional en-
couraging letter to friends overseas,
telling how much the fine spirit and
the dogged tenacity of the British
people is admired in Canada; and
telling particularly how we are
vigorously training increasing num-
bers of our young men presently to
stand shoulder to shoulder with our
hard pressed friends in Britain.

Following factors have tended to
raise prices: A preliminary estimate
indicates Australia's 1940-41 wheat
acreage to be 5.3 per cent under last
year -- Mr. Broomhall reports that
all wheat exports from Roumania
have ceased -- International Insti-
tute of Agriculture estimates Euro-
pean wheat, excluding Russia, to be
240 million bushels less than in 1939.

Following factors have tended to
lower prices: Fall seeding in Europe
general and increased acreage anti-
cipated -- Yields of grain in United
Kingdom exceeding expectations --
1940 Wheat harvest in Egypt largest
since 1932 -- 1940 Soybean produc-
tion in Bulgaria, Hungary and Yugo-
Slavia more than double that of last
year.

**Canadian Pacific Employees
Raise Golden Bomber Fund**

There will be one more giant
bomber to teach Hitler the folly of
his madness when Canadian Pacific
Railway employees from coast to
coast reach the objective of \$100,000
of their golden bomber fund.

Nearly 60,000 Canadian Pacific
men and women are ransacking their
homes for old gold for this patriotic
purpose. And it is amazing what
they are finding, what sacrifices
they are making to help save the
world from Hitlerism. While broken
and out-moded jewelry forms the
bulk of the contributions which have
been received so far, there are not
a few wedding rings and family
heirlooms.

The plan to buy a bomber for the
R.C.A.F. is solely a Canadian Paci-
fic employee contribution to the
cause. The Golden Bomber Fund
was originated and organized and is
now being operated by employees
themselves.

**What
Did Joseph Do?**

The Old Testament relates how
Joseph, the Jewish prime minister of
Egypt, stored the surplus from
seven wheat crops and then sold out
with apparent profit. What Cana-
dians are wondering about was what
Joseph did about storage charges!

Canadian elevators are now filled
with grain. It looks as though the
bulk of the excess supplies will have
to be carried over from year to year
until required by a hungry world,
after the war ends.

Where next year's crop will be
stored is now a puzzle. Some extra
storage will likely be built, but not
enough to hold Canada's swelling
surplus. The farmers can store a
fair volume, but there is also a de-
cided limitation to the bushelage
which can be held back on the
farms.

Maybe, after all, archaeologists are
mistaken when they say that the
pyramids of Egypt were used as
burial places for dead kings. May-
be Joseph built them to store the
surplus wheat from seven years'
good harvests!

If that is true, it is time we started
building pyramids in Canada.

—Brooks Bulletin

**WHY ...
the Red Cross Needs Money**

British prisoners of war in Ger-
many must be supplied each week
with 10,000 parcels of food and
clothing by Canada, a duty assumed
by the Canadian Red Cross to relieve
the Motherland of the necessity of
shipping foodstuffs out of the British
Isles. It is estimated that this will
cost one-half million dollars a year.
Help the Red Cross when it appeals
to you. Give more than you can
spare.

When Germany's blitzkrieg struck
the British Isles, the importance of
Canada's contribution to the Red
Cross became fully seen. More than
five million articles, ranging from
ambulances to clothing, had been
shipped to Britain, ready for the de-
mands which flooded British relief
workers. Thousands of men, women
and children, whose houses and ten-
ements had been destroyed, were fed
and clothed. For such needs as those
the Red Cross needs money. Give,
when you are asked, and give more
than you can spare.

The value of working to a pattern
which was based on preparedness,
resulting in the shipments of thou-
sands of cases of materials such as
hospital supplies and woollen cloth-
ing was revealed when the Canadian
Red Cross, from its warehouses in
England, replaced the materials lost
by the British Army in Flanders.
Socks, sweaters, bandages, dressings
and countless other articles were
available because the Red Cross was
prepared. The demand is greater
now with the blitzkrieg of Britain
on. You can help by giving more
than you can spare.

In co-operation with departmental
authorities, the Canadian Red Cross
Society has completed the establish-
ment of emergency equipment on
both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts.
Stores of supplies have been provid-
ed, mobile X-ray and hospital equip-
ment placed at strategic points and
countless other materials placed in
readiness to meet emergency arising
from the coasts. This is another of
the tasks that has made it necessary
for the Red Cross to ask your help.
Give, when you are asked, and give
more than you can spare.

Regular shipments of woollens,
medical supplies and other materials
are sent to Canada's soldiers who
are on guard at one of the outposts
of the Empire, the strategically lo-
cated island of Iceland. To relieve
the burden on workers in Britain,
where the air attacks have created
tremendous needs, the Canadian Red
Cross has been assigned the task of
supplying Iceland's needs. To keep
up this work, and the countless other
duties placed on the Red Cross,
money is needed. When the appeal
is made to you, give and give more
than you can spare.

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in the air, they face death daily. We must be prepared to help them
when they are sick or wounded.

Red Cross help is needed on behalf of soldier and civilian alike.
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ambulances and X-Ray equipment will be needed. Overnight the
need may become so urgent that lives may be sacrificed if help
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This challenge to humanity must be answered. Give to the Red
Cross. Give to the utmost NOW!

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Last Saturday	in every month: Legion

Next month's meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Landeen.

An auction sale realized a nice little sum for the Institute. In November the ladies will meet at the new home of Mrs. Floyd Ahlgrim.

Mrs. A. H. Dobson of Calgary and Constable Walter Dobson visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. Byrt over the week end.

Miss Betty Watt of Calgary and Miss Isabel Lowrie spent the weekend at the A. L. Hogg home.

Mr and Mrs. A. A. Blain entertained at a Thanksgiving dinner on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hogg and Mrs. E. Lowrie were Calgary visitors on Thursday.

Mr and Mrs. E. Parker were visitors with the latter's brother and Killam last week.

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Warning to all members of the Non-permanent Active Service force to attend twice weekly drills has been sounded. Army officials in Calgary agreed with reports coming from other parts of Canada to the effect that absentees from drills render themselves liable to punishment. Some militiamen have been under the impression that the period of camp training had ended responsibility to attend drills.

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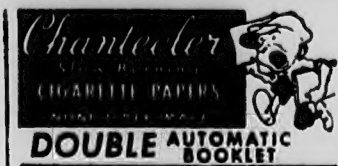


A LITTLE steam lifts the lid of your tea-kettle. A lot of steam drives trains, machinery. Your bank deposit may be little, but it combines with millions of others to make a lot of "steam". It helps to run the nation's machinery of production, marketing, employment, business. It is important indeed to the country's war financing and war-time effort. The money is yours yet it helps provide the credit necessary to move the goods and services of the nation. ¶ Canada's chartered banks thus perform functions of great usefulness. They receive the deposits of millions of Canadians, and extend credit to individuals, governments, businessmen and marketing organizations. The small depositor is important to the banks. The "little fellow", popularly so-called, is welcomed by any bank, as a customer.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Forty-four Turkish army and naval officers go to the United States to study technical subjects at various universities.

The London transport system is expected to save 450 tons of paper pulp each year by the use of thinner bus tickets.

Eight Netherlands army officers arrived here from Great Britain to recruit an infantry battalion among Netherlands' nationals in Canada.

Officials of the Rhodes Scholarship Trust for Canada announced that the scholarships for 1941 are open for competition.

The London county council is attempting to enforce compulsory attendance in all districts whose schools have suitable air-raid protection shelters.

A memorial service was held for Flying Officer Dennis Grice who sacrificed his life by crashing into the sea rather than let his plane fall on a town during an air battle.

British guns used in wars of the 19th century on all continents, removed from Woolwich Common by the ministry of supply, will not be used for scrap "until last possible moment."

The Universal Postal Union has relieved administrations from all responsibility for the loss of registered articles due to circumstances constituting causes beyond control.

For use in the present war, the Manchester corporation has decided to recover 2,600 yards of aluminum conductor underground cable which was laid during the first great war.

Canada, according to estimates of the bureau of statistics which is preparing to take the decennial census next year, has a population of some 11,390,000, an increase of about 1,000,000 since the last census.

Knew When To Act

Britain Upset Mussolini's Plan To Ship Gasoline To Ethiopia

Some weeks ago the British announced that they had bombed from the air and utterly destroyed a great concentration of enemy trucks at Mogadiscio, only port of Italian Somaliland in the Indian Ocean. Now "Augur," the well-informed London correspondent of the New York Times, tells the story behind that bold official statement.

Italian Somaliland backs up against Ethiopia, and Ethiopia is one of Mussolini's chief worries. He has large forces there quite cut off from normal communications with Italy, and as British bombers destroy their reserves of gasoline and munitions replenishment is almost impossible.

Then somebody had a brilliant notion. The Indian Ocean is full of smugglers eager to make a dishonest dollar, and Mussolini hired them in large numbers. Little Arab ships picked up stocks of gasoline all over the area—pro-Pétain Frenchmen in French Somaliland, Madagascar and elsewhere helped materially, it is said, after the armistice. Precious gasoline was bought with Italian gold, and more gold was paid the smugglers, who had been told to run the British blockade and make deliveries at Mogadiscio.

Astonishingly the Arabs found that blockade an easy barrier, and gradually large quantities of gasoline were assembled at the Italian port, loaded on trucks ready for the journey into Ethiopia. Then the British struck heavily with a fleet of bombers. They had not been fooled; had merely decided it was easier to destroy this great store of gasoline in one blow, after it had been assembled, than by chasing hundreds of little ships over thousands of miles of ocean.

"British bombers," says Augur, "in 15 minutes annihilated the result of Mussolini's patient endeavor." The British had achieved their end, the Arabs had their gold, and everybody was happy except the Italians.

London Shops Are Busy

Air Raids Create Demand For Certain Type Of Goods

There is plenty of activity in London's shops, despite the air raids, and the rush of business goes to shops which sell these things:

Camp stoves to make hot tea and heat shelters. They are becoming hard to find.

Shelter pads for protection in damp underground bombproofs. They run from fancy air mattresses to a stout cloth affair with pockets to hold pillows.

Camp cots and camp chairs. The demand has been so brisk some stores are only taking orders for future delivery.

Window glass substitutes of translucent treated cotton which can be tacked-in to replace panes broken or removed as a precaution.

Wool shops, too, are active despite rationed supplies. Women everywhere are knitting for shelter wear and for soldiers, sailors and airmen.

Shoe shops are experiencing an early demand for furlined winter boots.

Tin hats, gas mask cases and black-out materials are wartime staples. The only helmets available are reconditioned ones, and they are snapped up.

Second hand furniture stores are doing a rushing business.

Food markets always look rushed. There is a great deal of shopping for unrationed foods.

Restaurants have been doing well because of the large number of people caught away from home at meal times. But they are hampered by interrupted movement of supplies and they had to simplify their menus.

Winter Clothing

Little Suffering From Cold In The Training Camps

Judging by the array of heavy clothing the defence department intends issuing to men called up for 30 day's training this coming winter, there will be little suffering from cold in the training camps.

The clothing list includes everything from socks to sweaters and woollen gloves. When each man is through his training period, everything issued to him is to be returned except woollen drawers, shirts, socks and boots. If he is called up for another training period later on, he must produce the boots he was issued the first time or pay for a new pair.

Trainees must supply their own braces, hairbrush, tooth brush, shaving kit, comb, towels and soap.

ADORABLE KIDDIE ENSEMBLE

By Anne Adams



Even tiny tots may be smart "tailor-maids!" For is anything more beguiling than a small, sturdy figure in a trim little suit like Anne Adams' Pattern 4320? The short, eight-gore skirt buttons onto the waist and flares jauntily above dimpled knees. Wouldn't it be dashing in a brave plaid, perhaps with the four-section cap to match? The jacket has a cunning hankie pocket. See how fresh and pretty the collar of the puffed-sleeve blouse looks worn outside the jacket! Why not make a smart wool suit and a two-piece cotton dress? And let the Sewing Instructor smooth the way!

Pattern 4320 is available in children's size 3, 4, 5, 6 and 8. Size 5, blouse, takes 3/4 yard 35 inch fabric; skirt, 3/4 yard 54 inch fabric; jacket and cap, 3/4 yard 54 inch fabric.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

Will Be Long Job

German Engineer Figures Fifteen Years Needed To Rebuild Rotterdam

The extent of damage to Rotterdam by the systematic air raids that were almost co-ordinate with the capitulation of the Netherlands to Germany is indicated by estimates that 20,000 workmen and 1,300 freight cars will be required for the next six months to clean up the ruins.

Some 350 streets, 26,000 houses and several hundred stores and office buildings will have to be cleared away before rebuilding of the Netherlands harbor and commercial city can begin.

(Neutral observers have pointed out that the extensive damage to Rotterdam was possible because the city was virtually undefended from the air, affording an open target to low-flying German bombers in mass formation.)

According to Dr. W. Witteveen the rebuilding of the inner part of Rotterdam will take 15 years to complete. Dr. Witteveen is an engineer appointed by the Reich's commissioner to take charge of this work. The question of whether the necessary money and credits will be available is an important factor which is as yet unsettled.

The work of clearing has only been in progress for three months. In its various phases it will continue until 1941 under the direction of the Netherlands Heide-Maatschappij, an organization for the protection of Holland's open spaces.

As to the actual rebuilding plans, the Rotterdam buildings inspectors so far know only what must not be done. Personal initiative of the Rotterdamers themselves will be restricted, and while the war continues the execution of the work runs certain dangers. The authorities appear inclined to wait before outlining any really extensive projects.

One of the first buildings to be erected, however will be the rebuilt and extended telephone central of the municipality. Along with the municipal library, which was not damaged, the telephone building will be designed on an expansive scale. The Nutsspaarbank a large savings bank, is one of the buildings spared.

Barrage Balloons

Were Occasionally Attached To Merchant Ships During Last War

The idea that balloons on merchant ships are a novelty of the present war is mistaken. During the last war they were occasionally attached to merchant ships in convoy for the purpose of spotting U-boats. As an additional safeguard against dive-bombers who are the only bombers who attain any appreciable results, the Royal Navy thinks highly of barrage balloons.

Those used for ships are of the same design but slightly smaller than the ordinary land barrage balloon. They can be towed without unduly affecting convoy speed. An impressive fact is the disparity between sea and deck space in a merchant convoy.

Taking a convoy of thirty merchant vessels, which is a fair average, the actual deck space as target for attacking bombers is about 240,000 square feet. In other words, for every square foot of deck there are eighty feet of water on which bombs may fall. Knowledge of this fact does not at all diminish the enthusiasm with which the Royal Navy regards the cheerful and indomitable pluck of its merchant service comrades.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

American Built Planes

Approximately Five Hundred A Month Being Delivered To Britain

Approximately 500 American-built combat and training planes a month are now being delivered to Great Britain and this number may be doubled by February or March, aeronautical chamber of commerce officials said.

More than two-thirds of current deliveries are combat craft, it was estimated. The increase in exports to the British, officials said, is due to the \$52,000,000 expansion of productive capacity undertaken by the aircraft industry.

From other sources, it was learned that the cannon-firing Bell Air-cobra fighting planes will be ready for initial deliveries to Great Britain by November.



MISUNDERSTANDING ABOUT SLEEP

Dr. J. P. S. Cathcart, writing in the National Health Review, gives it as his opinion that most adults spend too much time in sleeping. He is evidently of the opinion that six hours a day rather than ten, form an adequate amount of sleep for the adult.

"Most patients," he says, "and not a few physicians, are still impressed by the admonitions of childhood that sleep, and lots of it, is extremely essential."

While this applies to children, Dr. Cathcart asserts that there is good reason to think that in adults the importance of sleep is over-rated, and that most of our patients are troubled not by lack of sleep but by over-concern regarding some little delay in getting to sleep, or of frequent waking, or of a tired feeling in the following morning. One's personal opinion is that most persons, unless kept awake because of pain, sleep more than they think they do.

Apart from discomfort or pain, the most common cause of insomnia is some emotional situation usually in relation to the past events of the day. It is frequently found that at the hour of retiring the mind is too active and that the thinking processes cannot be stopped.

Most of these cases of sleeplessness are the result of bad habits—the giving encouragement after retiring to the thoughts and troubles of the day instead of pulling the curtain and leaving troublesome problems to the next day. But it is not so easy to do this. A hearty late meal, a day of excitement or the use of a stimulant just before bedtime sometimes prevents sleep.

It is a common observation among those who have charge of insane persons who awaken early, after two or three hours sleep and then whoop it up until daylight or longer, that these persons will remain awake for 18 or 19 hours out of the 24, and thus consume an enormous amount of energy, yet they put on weight, look the picture of health and are well except for the mental state. There is a host of drugs which will enforce sleep. One should, if possible, avoid their use except under the direction of a physician. As Dr. Cathcart says: "much thought, money and energy are being devoted to the perfection of a satisfactory sedative and yet it is probable that no greater disservice could be done humanity than the discovery of an ideal sleep-inducing drug."

Editorial Note: Readers who would like a valuable set of articles on the Cause and Control of Cancer may obtain them—free of all charge—by writing to: The Health League of Canada, Dept. W.N.U., 111 Avenue Road, Toronto, Ont. Just say: "Please send me Dr. McCullough's articles on Cancer," and print your name and address plainly.

Brain Wave Tests

Scientific Method Used To Test Applicants For Air Force

Scientific tests at Toronto of the "brain waves" of aspirants for the Royal Canadian Air Force were said to have resulted in the permanent grounding of several airmen. The electric signals which all brains send out are being tapped at the Banting institute at Toronto in an effort to weed out in advance student flyers who are physically incapable of becoming satisfactory pilots, air observers or gunners.

A total of 1,500 students have already undergone the tests and the results are reported to have led to the recommendation that similar tests be made of every air crew member being trained in Canada.

Pioneers in this experiment were Major G. S. Hall and J. E. Goodwin, of the clinical investigation unit of the Royal Canada Air Force. Their method has resulted in the United States navy setting up similar equipment to conduct tests on United States student aviators.

I Read---And Write---For You

By JOHN C. KIRKWOOD

Do you want to know a new way by which money can be made? Well, here it is—in the form of an advertisement which appeared in a New York newspaper—an advertisement addressed to Ambitious Young Men:

"It sounds unbelievable, but since we established branch dance studios throughout the country, many of our teachers who earned \$30 a week are now earning considerably more as branch managers. Although we have already opened 35 branches, there is room for about 30 more. This really is the opportunity that comes but once in a lifetime if you are well-bred, have proven executive and sales ability, and are interested in dancing."

So it is within the possibilities that we may be seeing dance studios springing up in Canada—just as "Tom Thumb Golf" did a dozen years ago—and perhaps these studios will have just as short a life as did miniature golf.

Panama hats don't come from Panama—they just come via Panama—this when they are genuine Panamas. They really ought to be called "Ecuadorians" or "Manavians" for these Panama hats are made in the Province of Manavi in Ecuador. This type of hat came into favour in this country upwards of 50 years ago, yet they have been made for fully 300 years. To-day the whole population in the Province of Manavi—from the five-year-old up—work hard at hat-making.

In their native country these hats are called manavis or jipijapas. Wouldn't it be amusing if the hats were known in this country as jipijapas?

You probably have heard that the best Panamas are woven under water—which is not true. They are made in natives' huts between midnight and daylight—the cool hours of the day. A fine Panama may take six months to make and so would be cheap at \$125. But the hats of coarser texture, usually made by the

youngsters, can be made in from two to six weeks, and sell wholesale at from \$5 to \$6 a dozen! The hat-maker earns about 35 cents a day.

Vichy! The new capital of France. Most of us, I fancy, have always connected the word "vichy" with water—an aperient. Yet Vichy and its springs—from which vichy water comes—are world famous—especially so to tourists and to those who frequent spas to "take the waters." Britain has several spas—Bath and Harrogate and Droitwich and Leamington, by way of example.

The Romans of olden times knew Vichy, and in recent years this city has attracted royalty, even the princes of India, not because of its waters altogether, but because it became a place of gaiety and gambling. Presumably Vichy is as good to-day as ever it was for those who want the waters of mineral springs and thermal baths. You might have trouble in getting to Vichy, but if you succeeded, then here would probably be your daily programme: water drinking at 5 a.m.; a prescribed diet; exercise afoot or on horseback; and an afternoon siesta. Not very severe, is it?—except that rising before 5 a.m.

What about a nice cup of tea? Here's the approved way of making it: first, warm a china teapot with warm water (you must carry the teapot to the kettle; never must you carry the kettle to the teapot); throw out the water; put in the teapot a teaspoonful of tea for each cup and one for the pot; then you tilt the kettle (never remove it from the flame!) pouring the boiling water into the teapot. You do not warm the cups, as you do in the making of good coffee. And there must always be a teacozy. Good tea is never bitter. To avoid this draw off the tea into another heated teapot after five or six minutes steeping.

Simple—this way of making a good cup of tea; yet it is a way not commonly used.

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The Park Lane Mystery

By Edgar Wallace

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CHAPTER XIX.

The opening of the Stock Exchange that morning was witnessed by scenes which had no parallel since the outbreak of the Great War. Stocks declined to an incredible extent, and even the banks reacted to the panic. It was too early to learn what had happened in New York, the British being five hours in advance of Eastern American time, and only at 4 o'clock that afternoon was the position on Wall Street revealed. Heavy selling—all gilt-edged stocks depreciated; the failure of a big brokerage house, and a suicide or two, were the first consequences observable in the press. In France the Bourse had been closed at noon, but there was heavy street selling, and one famous South American stock, which was the barometer in the market, had dropped to its lowest level.

At 5 o'clock that evening a statement was issued to the press over the signatures of the Prime Ministers of Britain and France.

"There is no truth whatever in the statement that a state of tension exists between our two countries. The Bonn incident has been from first to last regarded as trivial, and the speech of the British Foreign Minister can only have been made in a moment of regrettable mental aberration."

For Jim the day's interest had nothing whatever to do with stock exchanges or the fall of shares; nor yet the fortune which he knew was being gathered, with every minute

MICKIE SAYS—

DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE POSITION OF YOUR AD, BECAUSE IN AN OLD RELIABLE FAMILY PAPER LIKE THIS, WHERE FOLKS READ EVERY BIT OF IT, YOUR AD WILL BE SEEN, NO MATTER WHERE IT IS!



that passed, by Harlow and his agents. His interest was solely devoted to the mystery of Sir Joseph Layton's disappearance.

There had been present at Harlow's reception a very large number of notable people, many of whom were personal friends of the missing minister. They were emphatic in declaring that he had not returned to Park Lane, and they were as certain that Harlow had not left the house after Sir Joseph's departure. More than this, there were two policemen on duty at the door, and they were equally certain that Sir Joseph had not returned. The suggestion was made that the minister had gone to his country house in Cheshire, but when inquiry was set on foot it was learned that the house and the shooting had been rented by a rich American.

After the Prime Minister had returned from Paris, to which city he had gone immediately by airplane on his arrival in London, Jim saw him, and the chief officer of state was a greatly worried as well as a very tired man.

"Sir Joseph Layton has to be found!" he said, thumping his table. "I tell you this, Carlton, as I have told your superiors, that it was impossible, unless Sir Joseph went mad, that he could have stood up in the House of Commons and said something which he knew to be absolutely untrue, and which he himself would repudiate! Have you seen this man Harlow?"

"Yes, sir," said Jim.

"Did he tell you what was discussed by any chance? Was it the so-called Bonn incident?"

"Harlow says that they just talked about Macedonia and nothing else during the few minutes the Foreign Minister was in his house. And really, sir, I don't see how they could have had any very lengthy discussion; they were not together more than a few minutes. Apparently Sir Joseph went into a little room which Harlow uses for his more confidential interviews, and drank a glass of wine. They then talked about the reception and Sir Joseph congratulated him upon bringing the warring Macedonian elements together. It seems to have been, according to Harlow's account, the most uninteresting talk."

The Prime Minister walked up and down the room with long strides, his chin on his breast.

"I can't understand it, I can't understand it!" he muttered. And then, abruptly: "Find Sir Joseph Layton." That terminated the interview for Jim.

He was rattled, badly rattled, and in his distraction he could think of only one sedative. He rang up Aileen Rivers at her office and asked her to come to tea with him at the Automobile Club.

Aileen realized from the first that Jim was directly occupied by a mystery that was puzzling not only the country but the whole of the civilized world. But she understood also the reason he had sent for her, and the thought that she was being of use to him was a very grateful one.

He had hardly met her before he plunged straight into the story of his trouble.

"He may have been kidnapped, of course, and I should say it was very likely, though the distance between Palace Yard and Whitehall Gardens is very short; and Whitehall is so full of police that it hardly seems possible. We have advertised for the taximan who drove him away from the House, but so far have had no reply."

"Perhaps the taximan was also kidnapped?" she suggested.

"Perhaps so," he said a little drearily. "I do wish Foreign Ministers weren't so godlike that they have to travel alone! If he'd only waited a few minutes I would have joined him." And then, with a smile: "I'm laying my burdens upon you and you're willing visibly."

"I'm not," she affirmed stoutly.

She considered a moment before she asked:

"Could I not help you?"

He stared at her in amused wonder.

"How on earth could you help me? I'm being a brute, I know, but I can't exactly see—"

She was annoyed rather than hurt by his skepticism.

"It may be a presumptuous thing to offer assistance to the police," she said with a faint hint of sarcasm.



"but I think what may be wrong with you now is that you want—what is the expression?—a new angle?"

"I certainly want several new angles," he confessed ruefully.

"Then I'll start in to give you one. Have you seen my uncle?"

His jaw dropped. He had forgotten all about Arthur Ingle, and never once had he associated him with the minister's disappearance.

"What a fool I am!" he gasped.

She examined his face steadily, as though she were considering whether or not to agree. In reality her mind was very far away.

"I only suggest my uncle because he called upon me this morning," she said. "At least, he was waiting for me when I came out to lunch. It is the first time I have seen him since the night he came back from Devonshire."

"What did he want to see you about?"

She laughed softly.

"He came with a most extraordinary offer, that I should keep house for him. And really, he offered me considerably more than the salary I am getting from Stebbings, and said he had no objection to my working in the daytime."

"You refused, of course?"

"I refused, of course," she repeated, "but he wasn't at all put out. I've never seen him in such an amiable frame of mind."

"How does he look?" asked Jim, remembering the unshaven face he had seen through the window.

"Very smart," was the surprising reply. "He told me he had been amusing himself with some of the big films that had appeared since he went to prison. He had hired them and bought a small projector. He really was fond of the pictures, as I know."

The girl went on, "but it seems a queer thing to have shut oneself up for days just to see cinema plays! And he asked after you." She nodded. "Why should he ask after you? you are going to say, and that is the question that occurred to me. But he seems to have taken for granted that I am a very close friend of yours. He asked who had introduced me, and I told him your wretched little motorcar on the Thames Embankment!"

"Speak well of the dead," said Jim soberly. "Lizzie has cracked a cylinder."

"And now," she said, "prepare for a great shock."

"I brace myself," said Jim.

"He asked," the girl went on, a twinkle in her eyes, "whether I thought you would object to seeing him. I think he must have taken a sudden fancy to you."

"I've never met the gentleman," said Jim, "but that is an omission which shall be rectified without delay. We'll go round together! He will naturally jump at the conclusion that we're an engaged couple, but if you can stand that slur upon your intelligence—"

"I will be brave," said Aileen.

Mr. Arthur Ingle was only momentarily disconcerted by the appearance of his niece and the man who had filled his mind all that afternoon. Jim had met him once before, but only for a few seconds, when he had called to make an inquiry about Mrs. Gibbins. Now he was almost jovial.

"Where's friend Elk?" he asked, with a smile. "I understand you never moved without one another in these perilous times, when lunatic ministers are wandering about the country, and no man knows the hour

or the day when he will be called up for active service! So you are Mr. James Carlton!"

He opened a silver cigar box and pushed it across to Jim, who made a careful selection.

"Aileen told you I wanted to see you, I suppose? Well, I do. I'm a bit of a theorist, Mr. Carlton, and I have an idea that my theory is right. I wonder if you would be interested to know what it is?"

He pointedly ignored the presence of the girl except to put a chair for her.

(To Be Continued)

Registration Check

People Must Notify Authorities Of Change Of Address

A large, printed notice, giving detailed instructions regarding registration of persons who have not yet registered, was sent out by Jules Castonguay, chief registrar, to postmasters throughout Canada to be posted conspicuously in post offices.

The notice stipulates that persons who change their post office address must communicate particulars to the Dominion statistician, Ottawa. Persons marrying after registration closed Aug. 21 must communicate the date of their marriage and the names and addresses under which they were registered, within 14 days after the event occurs.

Accompanying the notice is a memorandum to postmasters, providing them with information useful to them as registrars and deputy registrars.

Regulations to be drawn to the attention of the public in this way are:

1.—Every resident of Canada must register within 30 days after his 16th birthday.

2.—Every resident of Canada absent from the Dominion during registration must, on returning to Canada, register within 30 days.

3.—Persons prevented from registering through illness must register as soon as they are able to travel to a post office.

4.—Persons temporarily residing at remote points during the time of registration, or who, for any other satisfactory reason, did not register, must register immediately upon their return to their ordinary place of residence.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

GENTILITY

Gentility is the ability to ignore in others those faults or blemishes we will not tolerate in ourselves.—Anon.

We should remember that we must not reflect on the wickedness of men, but contemplate the divine image in them; which, concealing and obliterating their faults, by its beauty and dignity allures us to embrace them in the arms of our love.—Calvin.

Who hath not learned that when alone he has his own thoughts to guard, and when struggling with mankind his temper, and in society his tongue?—Mary Baker Eddy.

We love ourselves notwithstanding our faults, and we ought to love our friends in like manner.—Cyrus.

Unless you bear with the faults of a friend, you betray your own.—Publius Syrus.

There is no outward sign of true courtesy that does not rest on a deep moral foundation.—Goethe.

Hitler Spoke For Himself

The Ottawa Journal says Hitler, so the story goes, some time ago proposed to London through a neutral quarter that in air raids each country should respect the heads of the other state. London replied that in Britain neither King nor Prime Minister enjoyed special privileges, that they would take their chances with the people. Perhaps this is the explanation of the bomb dropped on Buckingham Palace.

A Carnivorous Plant

Venus' fly trap, the famous carnivorous plant, catches more spiders than flies. So far, no one has been able to find out what the plant gains from its carnivorous habits.

Algernon (to his valet):—The doctor has ordered me to take more exercise, so I shall wind my watch in future.

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Send 15 cents in coins for your copy of "Planning and Budgeting Your Wedding" to Home Service Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

The following booklets are also available at 15c each:

- 108—"Making Plants and Flowers Grow Indoors."
- 113—"Secrets of Successful Candy Making."
- 112—"How to Make Slip Covers."
- 129—"The Meaning of Dreams."
- 164—"Party Games For All Occasions."
- 180—"What You Should Know About Nursing."

Workers Being Trained

Ernest Bevin, British minister for labor, told a luncheon gathering the "hard core" of unemployment has been reduced to well below 100,000 and added it will not be long before government training centres will be graduating between 250,000 and 300,000 trained munitions workers annually.

Small But Strong

The backbone of the West African shrew, an animal less than a foot in length, is so strong that it can support the weight of a heavy man without injury. It is unlike that of any other animal in the world.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ranton motored to Edmonton for the holidays and visited with relatives.

There will be a dance at Melvin on Friday, Oct. 25th. Music announced later.

You can buy a 1941 Battery Radio, complete with battery pack, at the Builder's Hardware Store for \$24.95.

Mr. Milo Clemens, who has been visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Ratcliffe, at Kimberley for the past few weeks, returned home on Sunday last.

Mr. Murray Kendrick and Miss Vera Malton motored from Edmonton and spent the holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kendrick.

Save those many trips to the ash can this winter—buy a Duo-Therm oil heater from Harold E. Oke—a model now on display, let us demonstrate.

It is fitting that you should feel fit in one of Scott's well fit Work Shirts just \$1. Stock up from Scott's stock.

St. Cyprian's W.A. are planning to hold a "Country Fair" on Saturday, November 2 in the Legion Hall. The date (November 9) was published in error last week.

Songs and sarongs, romance and rhythm — all included in the ticket for "Road to Singapore" at movies this week, with Bing Crosby, Dorothy Lamour and Bob Hope.

A class for ladies in Home Nurs- (St. John's Ambulance Association) will commence Monday, October 21 at 8 o'clock p.m. in the Legion Hall. Ladies interested may register with Miss Grace Ranton or Miss Rena Mowers.

Thanksgiving guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Reiber were the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Watson and daughter, Lylie, of Calgary. Also visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Reiber during the holiday weekend were Miss Betty Watson and Mr. Max Ninian, also of Calgary.

Berscht's Golden Harvest Sale Now on! Get your fall and winter needs at reduced prices.

A novel Thanksgiving was that had by Jerry Bird and Hughie McGhee. Saturday afternoon Jerry set off and hitch-hiked to Edmonton, followed by Hughie later on the train Saturday evening. They both hitch-hiked back on Sunday afternoon. The pair never walked a step on either journey.

Mrs. Lantz, Mrs. Lowrie, Mrs. Miquelon, Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Garner, of St. Hilda's Chapter of the Eastern Star motored to Lacombe on Monday evening of last week to attend a meeting at Lacombe when Mrs. J. A. McGhee made her official visit as Grand Worthy Matron.

The first in a series of monthly teas in aid of the Red Cross will be held this coming Saturday, the 19th, in "Mrs. Wilson's store," Main St., two doors north of Texaco Garage. Donations of farm produce, aprons, jellies, etc. gratefully accepted and may be left at Jenkins' grocery. Do the most you can for the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Oke and family motored to Red Deer on Thanksgiving Day and visited with the former's brother Lt. E. J. W. Oke, who is an officer at the training camp. Harold says the camp is well appointed and the men are very comfortable. The kitchens and mess halls are run by a permanent staff and the men have no kitchen fatigue duties as is usual in military camps.

Charlie Mortimer, Tom Johnson, Russell Ady and Clint Reiber tried fishing in the Bow river on Monday, last day for fishing in the south country. They tried various places from Cochrane to Canmore but found no takers. They are generally pretty good in their own district but it is quite apparent that they can't catch fish away from their own balliwick.

Foretell the first cold spell with a suit of Winter Underwear from Scott's. Try Scott for better value.

Presbytery Young People's Supper and Rally

Upwards of forty young people from Red Deer, Innisfail, Olds and Carstairs gathered with the Didsbury Knox Young People for the annual fall rally of the Red Deer Presbytery Young People's Union here on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Ronald Newsom of Olds, the president, had charge of arrangements and presided at the meeting, which commenced at 5 p.m. and continued through to 9:30 p.m., with a lively and interesting program.

A sing-song, supper, games and routine business was the prelude to the feature of the evening, an address by Rev. Frank R. Harback, B.A., B.D., of Crescent Heights United Church, Calgary, and Alberta Conference Counsellor for Young People, who spoke on the work of the Society in the province and made an appeal for earnest service and consecrated life from each member.

Mr. R. Newsom and Mr. Roy Kaiser, Olds, conducted a very impressive devotional period, which centred round the theme of "Building Christian Character."

Owing to the removal of Mr. Newsom from the district, the Union elected Mr. Chris Dunkley, Olds, to be president, and Rev. J. M. Fawcett installed the officers for the coming year.

Knox United Ladies Aid will hold a tea and pie sale on October 26.

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